Public Notice Proposed Revision to the Construction Permit for Lone Star Industries in Oglesby

Lone Star Industries has applied to the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (Illinois EPA) to revise the construction permit previously issued for its roller mill/high efficiency separator at the facility located on Portland Avenue in Oglesby. The revision will allow continuous operation of the roller mill, high efficiency separator, rock bins, and belt conveyor with a reduction in permitted hourly emissions of particulate matter (PM) and no change in the permitted annual PM emissions and will simplify provisions coordinating the operation of the roller mill with the operation of the kiln given changes that have been made to these units. The project is not a major modification as defined by the federal Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) rules, 40 CFR 52.21 or the state rules 35 IAC 203: Major Stationary Source Construction and Modification. The Illinois EPA is accepting comments prior to making a final decision on this project.

Persons wanting more information may obtain copies of the draft permit, and project summary at www.epa.gov/region5/air/permits/ilonline.htm (please look under All Permit Records, State Construction Permits, Revision). These documents and the application can also be obtained from the Illinois EPA's offices at 12 Gunia Drive in LaSalle, 815/223-1344 and 1340 North Ninth St., Springfield, 217/782-7027 (for either location please call ahead to assure that someone will be available to assist you). Copies of the documents will be made available upon request.

The Illinois EPA is accepting comments prior to making a final decision on this project. Comments must be postmarked by midnight September 26, 2003. If sufficient interest is expressed in the permit, a hearing may be held. Requests for information, comments, and questions should be directed to Brad Frost, Division of Air Pollution Control, Illinois Environmental Protection Agency, PO. Box 19506, Springfield, Illinois 62794-9506, phone 217/782-2113, TDD phone number 217/782-9143.